

THE TRAVANCORE SRI MULAM ASSEMBLY.

THIRD ASSEMBLY.

FIRST SESSION—1944/1120.

Friday, the 18th August, 1944/3rd Chingom, 1120.

The House re-assembled at twelve of the Clock in the Legislative Chamber, Public Offices, with Sachivottama Sir C. P. Ramaswami Aiyar, K. C. S. I., K. C. I. E., LL. D., Dewan-President, in the chair.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

Sub-Treasury at Chengannur.

33. *MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI (*Tiruvalla*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether a Sub-treasury has been opened in Chengannur and if so, when;

(b) whether any remittance of money is allowed or accepted in the above Sub-treasury;

(c) the purpose now served by the above Sub-treasury; and

(d) the reason for not accepting the remittance of money in the Sub-treasury?

MR. G. NARAYANAN TAMPI (*Secretary to Government*): (a) Yes, on 5th Medom 1119.

(b) No.

(c) To facilitate payments to the public and to the institutions at Chengannur.

(d) The treasury is at present only a disbursing treasury.

Lands given to the public in the Vilavancode taluk.

34. *MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of acres of land in Vilavancode taluk given to the public on Kuthagapattom in 1118 and 1119 in accordance with the scheme for the expansion of agriculture and the number of acres of land the members of the backward communities got out of it?

MR. G. NARAYANAN TAMPI:

Year.	Total area leased out.	Area leased to Backward Communities.
1118	Nil.	Nil.
1119	3.02 acres.	Nil.

MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI : ഈ താലൂക്കിൽ കൃഷിക്കായി ൩ ഏക്കർ ൨ സെൻറവീതം എത്ര ഏക്കർ സ്ഥലമാണു കർത്തകപ്പാട്ടമായി നൽകാൻ നിർദ്ദേശിച്ചിട്ടുള്ളത്?

PRESIDENT : The honourable member will kindly raise his voice

MR. G. NARAYANAN TAMPI : ഈ ഏക്കർ കൊടുക്കണമെന്നു പ്രത്യേകമായി നിർദ്ദേശിച്ചിട്ടില്ല.

MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI : ഈ ൩ ഏക്കർ ൨ സെൻറ സ്ഥലം ആക്കല്ലാമാണു പതിച്ചുകൊടുത്തിട്ടുള്ളത്?

MR. G. NARAYANAN TAMPI : പതിവുകാരടെ പേർ ശരിയായി ഇവിടെ കിട്ടിയിട്ടില്ല.

MR. CHAZHIKATTU JOSEPH (*Meenachil cum Todupuzha*): മ.മ.വ.ൽ ഇതിലേയ്ക്കു എത്ര അപേക്ഷകർ ഉണ്ടായിരുന്നു?

MR. G. NARAYANAN TAMPI : തിരുവിതാംകൂർ ഒട്ടേക്കുണ്ടോ ചോദിക്കുന്നത്?

MR. K. G. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Legal Remembrancer to Government*): On a point of order, Sir. This question does not arise out of the question printed in the list.

PRESIDENT : The question is out of order.

Grievances of the tapioca cultivators.

35. * MR. K. K. CHELLAPPAN PILLAI (*Mavelikara cum Kunnattur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether they have received a memorandum from the Committee members of the Karshakasamajam, Irawankara Muri, Mavelikara taluk, setting forth the grievances of the tapioca cultivators and praying for their redress; and

(b) what action they propose to take thereon and when?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA G. PARAMESWARAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (a) Yes

(b) Government consider that the control measures have been introduced in the best interests of the country and have had a salutary effect in easing the food situation and they do not propose to relax any of the control measures now in force with regard to the price, the export or manufacture of tapioca, until the food situation is completely eased.

MR. K. K. CHELLAPPAN PILLAI : May I know what the prayers in the memorandum are?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA G. PARAMESWARAN PILLAI : The prayer in the memorandum is that as the price of tapioca has come down to nearly one-third of the previous price, all restrictions in relation to the control of the price and export of the material should be removed.